

BUMPER CROPS; TRADE BETTER

Many Indications That Business Is Improving, Even Though Progress Is Slow.

UNCLE SAM SHORT OF CASH

GOOD AND BAD FEATURES IN THE FINANCIAL REVIEW.

New York, Oct. 18.—An undercurrent of strength and confidence was manifest last week in the financial market, but its active expression was restrained by a waiting for the fulfillment of some of the factors which were the prospective causes for the hopeful sentiment. In the stock market itself a sentiment of reserve toward any great extension of commitments was distinguishable after the almost instantaneous restoration of the price level on Monday with the cessation of the foreign liquidation. Undoubtedly this reserve was induced by the contemplation of the enormous credit expansion of the New York banks which had accompanied the acceptance of the foreign sales of American securities while the war scare was in force abroad.

Great Abolitive Power.

It was an impressive demonstration of the absorptive power in the New York stock market that it should have taken over \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000 of foreign holdings of American securities and then on Monday have restored the impairment of prices which had resulted, but there stood the \$25,000,000 loan increase of banking institutions for the same period. This and other factors at work gave indication that the extreme redundancy which has prevailed in the New York market was to be modified, although no fears are felt of any danger of stringency. A rise in rates for the use of money, both on call and on time, during the week testified to the reality of these factors. Even without a recurrence of the strain of political crisis in the United States, the expanding requirements for banking resources are expected to make for firmer money conditions. The reopening of the labor controversy in the English cotton mills was responsible for some scarcity of cotton bills in the foreign exchange market, where the firmness of rates kept discussion open of possible gold exports.

Higher Exchange Rate.

The heavy grain movement and the expansion, moderate as yet, of commercial activity, together with the flow away from New York. This flow was restrained by the firmer New York money market and the distant New York exchange at Chicago being lifted to a small premium. Finally, due consideration must be given to the uncertainties of the state of the government finances for this fall. It is many years since the United States treasury has not made effective additions during the autumn months to the money supply by one device or another. Resources are manifestly lacking for any such relief this year. The possibility of a call on the banks for surrender of a proportion of the government deposits held by them, to the country, is canvassed by bankers.

Government Deficit.

The running deficit in the government's revenues keeps pulling down the treasury department's working cash balance. On Nov. 20 the one-year notes put out by the treasury to help relieve the panic will mature. An issue of Panama canal bonds also is in contemplation. Prospects for any relief for the autumn markets from the United States treasury is left out of the reckoning of the bankers. Of the actual progress of the improvement in business there are many indications. The prosperity of the farming community is much dwelt upon, plentiful crops and prices conducing to this showing. Future expansion is demanded for commodities and growth of mercantile business is looked for as a result. Diminishing surplus of idle freight cars testified to the tendency of railroad traffic, and returns of railroad earnings are beginning to show more satisfactory results. Consumers of copper are reported to be more active buyers, and prices are better held by producers. The coming report of the United States Steel corporation for the third quarter of the year is the subject of favorable intimations, but from trade authorities agree in reporting a lull in that trade for October.

PIONEER DIES.

Jesse B. Martin, Old Resident of Utah, Passes Away.
(Special to The Herald.)
Provo, Oct. 18.—Jesse B. Martin died today at his home in the Fifth ward, at the age of 83 years. Mr. Martin was very prominent in the Mormon church in the early days. He had charge of several companies crossing the plains. He was very well known throughout the state. The funeral will be held tomorrow from the Fifth ward meeting house.

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PITIFUL PLIGHT OF FIRE VICTIMS

Governor of Michigan Issues an Appeal to People of the Wolverine State.

SITUATION IS IMPROVING

WORST FEATURE IS EXPOSURE OF REFUGEES TO ELEMENTS.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 18.—Reports from the forest fire district of northern Michigan were fragmentary today, but there were indications of improvement as to conditions regarding life and property. The victims who survived the destruction of their homes and villages are in a pitiful plight, with the likelihood of greater distress, and many deaths from exposure in the event of a sudden drop of temperature falling upon the scantily clothed refugees huddled in the box cars and the open fields.

Relief Plans.

Governor Fred Warner today issued an appeal to the people of Michigan for contributions, and Mayor William B. Thompson of Detroit has called a special meeting of the common council for tomorrow to consider the matter of contributing relief. Bishop Charles D. Williams of the Episcopal diocese of Michigan, who has just returned from the fire district, was asked to describe conditions as he witnessed them. The Detroit board of commerce had a meeting at the Detroit hotel tonight to arrange the details of shipping a preliminary carload of provisions and bedding north tomorrow, and Governor Warner has directed Adjutant General McGurkin of the state troops to take the initiative in similar measures at Grand Rapids. The Detroit & Mackinac railroad has already sent a dozen carloads of provisions, lumber and hay into the burned district from Bay Mills. President J. D. Hawks of the Detroit & Mackinac railroad received word today that forest fires were seriously threatening the town of Ossineke, south of Alpena, on Thunder bay. Mr. Hawks said that he had received no reports from Alpena or Rogers City, and he was confident he would have heard something if the situation at those points had not improved.

Communication by Wire.

The Western Union Telegraph company had uninterrupted communication with Alpena today, and was able to do business twice with Onawa, on the far side of the burned district. The Western Union was able to establish communication with Posen, in the fire district, this afternoon. Long distance telephone communication is good as far north as East Tawas.

Quartermaster General W. J. Rogers of the state troops, who was sent into the burned district to investigate conditions, telegraphed Governor Warner today that there was no need of troops, as the fire situation was improved temporarily, at least. The immediate need, General Rogers reported, was for bedding and food for the refugees and fodder for horses and cattle. Governor Warner has already directed the sending of several hundred blankets into the burned district, and all the blankets on hand in the army of the state troops at Alpena have been forwarded there. Following is the governor's appeal to the people of Michigan for contributions.

Governor's Appeal.

"To the People of Michigan:
"The destructive forest fires which have ranged over the north part of the state this week, and which have caused such fearful loss of life and property, have rendered about 300 of our people homeless and dependent upon immediate public charity.

"The prompt relief furnished by the officials of the Detroit & Mackinac Railroad, and the loss and suffering commensurate, and the need for further assistance is so great that there should be no delay in action on the part of the public generally. The men, women and children who have narrowly escaped death are shelterless and destitute. Food, clothing, bedding, furniture, money and building materials and forage for animals should be donated at once so that the sufferings of these people should be lessened and that none may perish from hunger and exposure.

Urged to Be Liberal.

"I, therefore, urge you, the charitable people of this great state, so bountifully blessed with comfort and wealth, to immediately come to the relief of these stricken people. Alpena will be the distributing point. All donations may be sent in care of J. D. Hawks, president of the Detroit & Mackinac railroad, who is giving his personal attention to the relief of the sufferers. I am already assured that the Detroit & Mackinac, the Michigan Central and the Pere Marquette railroads will transport everything free of charge and undoubtedly all the other railroads whose officials I have not yet been able to secure will do likewise."
(Signed) "FRED M. WARNER," Governor.

"LITTLE WILLIE" AT WHITE HOUSE

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you. You see I am here, I have had two meals in the White house, and I expect to have another."
This that all some one asked.
This broke the ice and from this time forth there was a quite free exchange of questions and answers.
The conversation covered a wide range.

but Mr. Taft declined to go into details concerning his interview with the president.

Our talk has dealt largely with reminiscences, but we have discussed the campaign to some extent. No, we have not discussed future cabinets so much as past cabinets.

He spoke of his voice and said that notwithstanding it has not been as good as he would like, still, it has served all his needs. He referred with some apprehension to his prospective tour of New York state, and expressing his intention not to make as many speeches in small places as he has been in the habit of making. It was more satisfactory to him, he declared, to be traveling about the country doing his share of the work than to sit idle and content himself with listening to other.

He was asked if he intended to speak for Governor Hughes in New York state. He replied that he believed he was going to speak with Mr. Hughes on several occasions while he was in New York state, the principal meeting being the one in Madison Square Garden, New York city. Speaking of his southern tour, Mr. Taft remarked that he would like to have a week ago spent in New York, where he pleased with the reception he received in all cities in the south which he visited.

At dinner Sunday he was guest of the president. After a full day at the White house, the Republican candidate said farewell to the president and Mrs. Roosevelt, and went to the union station, where he boarded the special train which left shortly after midnight for Newark. The candidate will arrive at Newark at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning. National chairman Hitchcock will breakfast with Mr. Taft aboard the train.

DIES FOR LACK OF PROPER CARE AND GOOD FOOD

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tified his brother, who promised to come to Mrs. Hill's when he was released from quarantine.

A week ago last Friday Dr. Hammond called at his room and told him he was released from quarantine. He was still weak and unable to get from his bed. He did not come to Mrs. Hill's home that day or the next and Theodore was unable to search for him. On Sunday, as he was compelled to leave his room, he was found by Mrs. Hill's maid. The brother had fallen from weakness or was already dead, the younger brother started a thorough search and Tuesday night discovered his brother lying on the stairway alongside the World messenger office at 23 Commercial street. He persuaded his brother to come to Mrs. Hill's home at once. When he arrived there Mrs. Hill states that he was already dead and in a condition of collapse. Before he could reach a chair, he reeled and said, "Don't be frightened, Mrs. Hill, I'm going to faint."

He was put to bed and Dr. J. Milliron was summoned. He at once said that the boy could not be moved to a hospital, and that it was doubtful if he could live. Mrs. Hill tended him with loving care, and Dr. Milliron called seven times to see him, but he was seized with vomiting and violent palpitation of the heart Friday afternoon, and passed away at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Hill gave him a cup of tea to warm his shivering body.

Mrs. Hill made an attempt to get Dr. Caldwell to come to see the boy, as she is in somewhat straitened circumstances, and could not afford the expense of medical attendance. She secured the co-operation of Mrs. George Hancock, chairman of the orphanage committee. Mrs. Hancock, who is a neighbor of Dr. Caldwell, went to see him, and he promised to call. About 9 o'clock Friday night Dr. Caldwell called, and he was told that he was dead, the doctor went away without seeing Mrs. Hill or the body.

Mrs. Hill felt that she could not afford the expense of funeral, and the body was turned over to S. D. Evans undertaking parlors until it could be sent to the medical school of the University of Utah.

Learning that it was to be sent to the tanks where the pauper bodies are put in a solution preparatory to going on the dissecting tables, the messenger boys who had known Leddington raised \$25 and secured a decent casket for the body. The interment was in the city cemetery.

James Leddington, who was full of tragedy. When but 15 years old, his mother was consigned to the state mental hospital after having been separated from her husband. The children have been known under their mother's name of Olson. His father brought his family of six small children to Salt Lake and tried to find them a home. He was unsuccessful until he came to Mrs. Hill, who agreed to take the three little boys and two younger boys were sent to the orphanage, and James was left to make his own way.

The youngest child died about a year ago. The two little girls, twins, are now 14 years old, and together with Theodore, 8 years old, and James, 12 years old, Dewey, aged 8, is an inmate of the orphanage. Theodore, who is a cash boy, had hardly decent clothes enough to attend his brother's funeral, and was presented with a new outfit by Mr. Putnam, the department manager. The messenger boys of the orphanage were friends of the dead boy went in and out of his room unchecked by any one, except what was given by the sick boy himself. They provided him with the best of their ability, but did not know of his condition or what should be done for him. They have undoubtedly exposed hundreds to the infection during the past illness, both by personal contact and by the dishes and utensils which they took out of his room.

Dr. Hammond states that the boy had enough to eat; indeed, more than enough at times, but that the boys who were fed him did not know how to cook. The county physician, it is asserted, made no effort to aid beyond authorizing the purchase of food for the boy. Dr. Caldwell, when asked last night with regard to the Leddington case, said that he had no knowledge of the matter at all. He admitted that the matter had been reported by Dr. Hammond, but said that the case was handled by Dr. Raley. Dr. Caldwell stated that the quarantine had been violated the matter was up to the city physician and his assistants.

WEATHERED THE FIERCE STORM

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which 1,800 people were present. During the course of his speech at the dinner Admiral Sperry said that the object of the cruise was the development of the fleet for peaceful purposes. He believed that nothing was ever like to occur to break the traditional friendship of America and Japan.

It is understood that Captain Potter of the Vermont will take command of the second division at Hongkong.

WILL NOT STRIKE.

Berlin, N. H., Oct. 18.—The papermakers of the Berlin Mills company, an independent concern, have decided to go to work tomorrow as usual. The men had been asked to strike by President Carey of the Papermakers' union, on the strength of allegations that the Berlin mills were furnishing stock to the International Paper company, whose employees are on strike.

The Berlin management deny this and have asked their workmen to investigate the charge.
Watertown, N. Y., Oct. 18.—After a prolonged meeting the 60 employees of the St. Regis Paper company, whose plant is located at Deferiet, nine miles east of this city, voted to continue work. An effort has been made to inaugurate a strike in this mill in sympathy with the now on in the International Paper company's mills.
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BRYAN IN FIVE STATES

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Putting forth their greatest efforts in the states that are called doubtful and pivotal, now that the presidential campaign is in its last week but one, the various party managers unfolded a multiplicity of plans for the week that are well calculated to keep politics in the forefront of the news.
For Taft, as well as for Bryan, the activity is to be well-nigh as ceaseless as for Sherman and Kern, and so on down the line. Coming up from his "invasion" of the south, the Republican candidate for the presidency will speak in New Jersey in the first part of the week, and then return to his own state of Ohio for a day, thereupon making another flight into Indiana, the cities of importance to be visited in the order being New York, Philadelphia, Indianapolis and Fort Wayne.

Bryan in Five States.

Bryan will have traveled in five states before the week ends—Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia and New Jersey, finishing in New York, where he will spend the Sunday in rest. His itinerary in Ohio was arranged with the special aim of visiting the cities of importance to the Democratic cause. He will speak in Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, Dayton, Toledo, and Youngstown. He will also visit the cities of importance to the Democratic cause in New Jersey, including Newark, Trenton, and Camden. He will also visit the cities of importance to the Democratic cause in Kentucky, including Louisville, and in West Virginia, including Charleston.

Mr. Kern, Democratic candidate for the vice presidency, will spend several mornings in New York state. He expects to speak in Ohio on Thursday.
Cleveland Democrats on Deck.
The Carnegie hall meeting in New York city on Tuesday, at which former members of Cleveland's cabinet, including Richard Olney of Boston and Judson Harmon of Ohio, are to speak, and the mass meeting in New York city, on Thursday night, of southern Democrats, which is to be addressed by Governor Swanson of Virginia, are Democratic features for the week of national importance.

The week will be rich in speeches by members of the cabinet. Secretary of War Wright will be heard in New York and other places, and Secretary of the Interior, and Secretary of the Navy, will also be heard. The German reichstag will assemble Wednesday in Berlin.
The classic autumn race of the year will occur Saturday, when a number of daring drivers will compete for the Vanderbilt cup, the twenty-five-mile course on Long Island.

The woman's national championship golf tournament begins on the links of the Chevy Chase club, near Washington, on Monday.

SOCIALISTS OUT IN FORCE.

Two Monster Meetings Addressed by Eugene Debs in Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 18.—Eugene V. Debs, Socialist candidate for president, held two monster meetings in the Bijou theatre here this afternoon and tonight, thousands waiting outside after the theatre was crowded to its capacity for each meeting.

When it was learned that the theatre would not accommodate the number of members of the candidate's party and a number of local Socialists led the crowd to the city hall, where they mounted a wagon intending to talk until Debs finished at the theatre and come back to the city hall. A policeman demanded to see his permit for holding a meeting. The speaker said he did not know there was such a law, but of course he would obey and the overflow was abandoned.

Instead a meeting was held in Blomere's hall, which was addressed by Charles Lapworth, an English newspaperman in this country to study conditions, and by Eugene V. Debs.
It was the intention to charge admission to the theatre meetings, but the police would not permit this on Sunday. Instead a collection was taken up.

GOMPERTS IN INDIANA.

Federation President Talks to Crowds of Laboring Men.

Evansville, Ind., Oct. 18.—That the election of W. J. Bryan for president of the United States and the defeat of Congressman James E. Watson, Republican, nominee for governor of Indiana, would be the greatest victory organized labor has achieved in the United States, was the keynote of the speech delivered in this city tonight by Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor.

The meeting here tonight closed a hard day of campaigning in the city of Evansville by the labor leader. His audience in Evansville was composed largely of workmen.

Mr. Gompers strongly denounced the decision of the United States supreme court which declared that under the Sherman anti-trust law labor unions are construed as trusts. He said this decision was a direct contradiction of the letter of acceptance of William H. Taft, Republican.

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LACK OF INTEREST.

Slight increase in Registration in Old Bay State.

Boston, Oct. 18.—That there is unusual lack of interest by the rising generation in the coming election is apparently shown by the slight increase in the registration in the thirty-three cities in the state as compared with similar registrations in other presidential years.

The total registration of the thirty-three cities this year was 369,033, compared with 362,214 in 1904.

The usual increase every four years in the registration of Massachusetts is about 8 per cent, while this year it amounts to nearly more than 1 per cent.

The registration in the towns closes on Oct. 24, and if the same ratio obtains in the thirty-nine smaller communities, about 20,000 names will be placed upon the voting list, which would bring the total for the state to nearly 500,000, the largest in its history, but only 5,000 more than in 1904.

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TRIP AROUND THE WORLD.

Battleships Maine and Alabama Will Soon Reach Home Ports.

U. S. S. Maine, at Sea, Via Wireless Station, Portsmouth, N. H., Navy Yard, Oct. 18.—To the Associated Press, New York: The battleship Maine left the Alabama on the 14th for Portsmouth, N. H. The Alabama will arrive in New York on the 29th.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The navy department received a wireless message from the commander of the battleship Maine today stating that the Alabama and Maine had parted company in mid-ocean on the 14th.

According to the department's advice, the Alabama is expected in New York on the 21st, while the Maine should reach Portsmouth tomorrow night.

These two vessels have preceded the Atlantic fleet on its trip around the world, and the department today are in accordance with the prearranged program for the movements of the Maine and Alabama. The Alabama will be placed out of commission and the Maine will undergo repairs at Portsmouth.

RUSSIA HAS INTERESTS.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 18.—The Novoe Vremya, in an editorial today, raises the question of Russian intervention in northern Persia, asserting that this may soon be necessary to prevent all of Persia falling prey to anarchy and to safeguard Russia's commerce and other interests in northern Persia.

The Novoe Vremya sees no hope of the shah's forces restoring order in the province of Azerbaijan.

Hasan Khan, the constitutionalist leader, says, intoxicated with victory, have established an autonomous government at Tabriz, and are about to carry the standard of revolt into southern Persia, with fair chances of success. Russian trade has been completely paralyzed and the outbreak threatens to cross the frontier.

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THREE-CENT RATE.

Arkansas Railroad Commission Compelled to Back Up.

Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 18.—At 12 o'clock Monday morning the three-cent passenger rate goes into effect on the trunk lines of Arkansas, taking place of the two-cent rate which was ordered by the state legislature in 1907.

The Iron Mountain is the only line which failed to file its increased tariff with the Arkansas railroad commission. The increased rate will go into effect on

that line just the same, however, as the tariff is to be filed today, and no train is expected.

Nine short lines in the state will file injunction suits against the railroad commission Tuesday in federal court. The suits will be the same as those filed by the trunk lines. If granted, the suits will be able to re-establish the three-cent rate, too.

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